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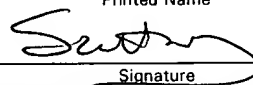
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Atty. Dkt. No. 054821-0852

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Bauerlein, Peter
Title: NI/METAL HYDRIDE
SECONDARY ELEMENT
Appl. No.: 09/909,497
Filing Date: 07/20/2001
Examiner: Dah Wei D. Yuan
Art Unit: 1745

| CERTIFICATE OF MAILING | |
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| I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee: service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date below and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.. | |
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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Small Entity statement is enclosed.
- ☒ The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

| | Claims as Amended | Previously Paid For | Extra Claims Present | Rate | Additional Claims Fee |
|--|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------|--------------------------|
| Total Claims: | 12 | 12 | 0 | x \$18.00 | \$0.00 |
| Independents: | 4 | 4 | 0 | x \$84.00 | \$0.00 |
| First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: | | | | + \$280.00 | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS FEE TOTAL: | | | | | \$0.00 |

- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the first month: | \$110.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the second month: | \$410.00 | \$410.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the third month: | \$930.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the fourth month: | \$1,450.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the fifth month: | \$1,970.00 | \$0.00 |
| EXTENSION FEE TOTAL: | | \$410.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): | \$110.00 | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL: | | \$410.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above): | | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE: | | \$410.00 |

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1447 in the amount of \$410.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$410.00 is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 7/14/03
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